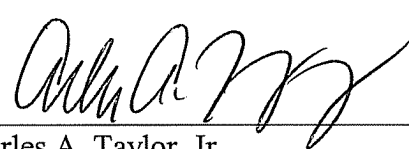
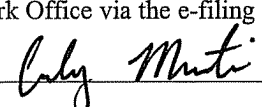


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Attorney Docket No: 421/60/10/2			
Application Serial Number: 10/663,879		Filing Date: September 16, 2003		Examiner: Abigail Fisher		Art Unit: 1616	
Invention: IMIDAZOLINE RECEPTOR BINDING COMPOUNDS							
<p>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</p> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.</p>							
CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	MINUS	16	0	\$52	\$ 0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	\$220	\$ 0.00	
<p><u> X </u> Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of <u>April 15, 2008</u> to and through <u>October 15, 2008</u>, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><u> </u> one month (\$130.00)</p> <p><u> </u> two months (\$480.00)</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><u> X </u> three months (\$1,110.00)</p> <p><u> </u> four months (\$1,730.00)</p> </div> </div>							
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$1,110.00	
<p><u> </u> Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.</p> <p><u> </u> A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.</p> <p><u> </u> A check in the amount of \$ <u> </u> is attached.</p> <p><u> X </u> Charge <u>\$1,110.00</u> to Deposit Account <u>50-0426</u>.</p> <p><u> </u> No additional fee is required.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p><u>October 15, 2008</u> date</p> </div> <div style="width: 60%; text-align: center;">  <p>Arles A. Taylor, Jr. Reg. No. 39,395</p> </div> </div> <p style="margin-top: 30px;">I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Patent and Trademark Office via the e-filing service.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><u>Carly Martin</u> Carly Martin</p> </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px;">  </div> </div>							